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Hi Andy and Kathy,

I have attached OECA-related comments on the "What is Assumption?" page. A Word version of this page was not included in the initial email, so I Word-ified the PDF. I don't think enforcement comes up on the other two pages. Please let me know if you have any questions.

-Jeff

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Note: sent on behalf of Andy

Hi everyone:

We hope you all had a nice 4th of July with family and friends. You are receiving this e-mail because you participate in the Monthly 404g regional calls. As discussed on previous calls, I have been working to create a 404g microsite to assist us as well as states and tribes interested in potentially assuming the CWA 404 permitting program.

I have spent the past few months familiarizing myself with just what is 404g as well as the requirements for our websites. I have pulled together Word documents and PDF snap shots of the various pages we'd like to get your input on. If you do not have time, or a desire to comment on this, no problem, I know there are several folks on this group that do have interest in the website and I'm sure they can represent us all well. Thank you to those who volunteered specifically to review and help shape the pages. I will be developing and sharing pieces of the website with you all over the next few weeks – the idea being send it out to review in digestible chunks. Please respond with comments to myself and Kathy (so she has all comments after I finish my stint with EPA.)

So, the ask of you, is by Wednesday, July 18, please:

1. Provide comments and edits on the following attached draft pages for the 404 Assumption microsite:
 - a. Home Page – this is the format and sections of materials folks will be able to access
 - b. What is assumption? Page
 - c. Interactive map page (as an example, The PDF shows what you could see if you clicked on Michigan)
2. Please provide information to us to populate the Interactive map for your states and tribes. Please populate the three sections:
 - a. Assumption Efforts and Activities
 - b. Dredged or fill permitting Programs – this may have a link to an SPGP or a state permit program or say “none”
 - c. State, EPA, and Corps Contacts

We tried to use MI as an example. Please fill this out for all states and tribes who have looked into or are currently looking into assumption. What we link to will vary by what they have done e.g., For example, we still have links to the KY 404 task force, we have links to reports on efforts in OR, MN, WI, PA, MD, etc.

Via this interactive, clickable map, we would like to provide direct links to the state agency responsible for wetlands or 404 type permitting (or both), the USACE lead district with a note other districts are involved in permitting, the USFWS contact and regional contact.

Please use MS Word's track changes and commenting features, and add your initials or last name to the file name so we can keep track of comments. Also, “reply all” and send your comments to the whole group so that others can add their comments to your document, which will reduce mistakes and make it easier to compile comments and edits. The PDF versions are attached so that you can look back at the original layout.

For additional information about the purpose and audience of the website, please see the attached

document, which is what we have approval to develop.

We anticipate sending out additional parts of the web page for review prior to the next workgroup call, which will be held on July 24 at 2 PM.

Thank you for sharing your time and knowledge to help get this information out to states and tribes.

With best wishes,

Andy, on behalf of the HQ 404 Assumption Team

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Hi Kathy,

Here are the sections we talked about sending out to the workgroup for 10-day turnaround, as Word and PDF files. I also wrote up a cover note, attached. Finally, I attach the writeup I sent to Antonio to explain the website, to provide additional background for those interested in it.

If you have any comments on these, please let me know and I will turn them around so you can send them out today or tomorrow. If you have any immediate questions, feel free to call anytime.

All the best,

Andy